



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE APPLICATION OF

JEAN-FRANCOIS SAINT ETIENNE, ET : EXAMINER: HAILE, FEBEN
AL.

SERIAL NO: 10/717,464

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: GROUP ART UNIT: 2616

FOR: PROCESS FOR CONTROLLING A
SWITCHED FULL-DUPLEX ETHERNET
TYPE COMMUNICATION NETWORK

AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated May 8, 2007, please amend the above-
identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 5 of this paper and include an attached
replacement sheet.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.